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Examiner: Rebecca L. Anderson  
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Applicants: Michael Hale et al.  
For: ISOXAZOLE COMPOSITIONS USEFUL AS INHIBITORS OF ERK

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This is in response to the July 25, 2006 Final Office Action in the above-identified application. A response is due October 25, 2006. Accordingly, this reply is timely filed.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks begin on 20 of this Reply.

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